from July to April in each year in Government Order No. L. 7450-7520—Ml. 163-49-1, dated 19th January 1950, the consequential alterations in the Budget Calendar of Town Municipalities referred to under Article 18 of the Municipal Accounts Manual was necessitated. Accordingly the following instructions are issued in the Budget Calendar of Town Municipalities for strict guidance :—

Budget Estimates of Town Municipal Councils to be forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners by the Presidents of Town Municipal Councils not later than	... 5th January in each year.
To be forwarded by the Deputy Commissioners, after scrutiny, with his remarks, to the Controller, State Accounts Department, not later than	... 20th January in each year.
To be forwarded by the Controller, State Accounts Department, after scrutiny, with his remarks to the Commissioner for Local Self-Government, not later than	... 20th February in each year.
To be sanctioned or forwarded to Government for sanction after scrutiny and remarks by the Commissioner, Local Self-Government, not later than	... 15th March in each year.

G. V. K. RAO,
Secretary to Government,
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Orders the constitution of Taluk Advisory Committees for Planning and Development.

READ—

Government Order No. S.R. 4507—E.C. 65-44-1, dated 11th June 1945, revising the constitution and functioning of the Economic Conference.

2. Government Order No. S.R. 532-732—E.C. 65-44-5, dated 15th August 1945, constituting six Policy Committees of the Economic Conference.

3. Government Order No. S.R. 733-822—E.C. 65-44-6, dated 15th August 1945, constituting the Co-ordination and Finance Committee of the Economic Conference.

4. Government Order No. L.S. 628-43—E.C. 3-50-14, dated 24th May 1950, constituting an Inter-Departmental Committee on Planning.

5. Correspondence resting with Unofficial Note No. A1. 377—46-47, dated 19th April 1952, from the Commissioner of Economic Development and Planning, submitting proposals regarding the reorganisation of the Economic Conference and its various Committees and the administrative set up for implementing the Five-Year Plan of the State.

6. Demi-Official letter No. A1. 34—53-54, dated 16th April 1953, from the Deputy Commissioner of Economic Development and Planning, forwarding proposals regarding suitable machinery to be set up for the implementation of the State Five-Year Plan.

ORDER No. L.S. 1897-936—PLNG. 23-53-1, DATED BANGALORE, THE 11TH JULY 1953.

The question of reorganising the Economic Conference and its several Policy Committees to suit the present altered conditions consequent on the launching of the Five-Year Plan has been engaging the consideration of Government for some time past. The Planning Commission of the Government of India have suggested the setting up of suitable machinery for implementing the Five-Year Plan of the State and have also urged that public co-operation and local efforts of the people of the regions concerned should be secured in as large a measure as possible for the implementation of the works under the plan.

2. With these objects in view, it is directed that the several Policy Committees of the Economic Conference, constituted in the Government orders read above, be

abolished and that Taluk Advisory Committees for Planning and Development be constituted for the present, with a view to implement the Five-Year Plan. The Committee will consist of nine to eleven Members as detailed below :—

1. Members of the State Legislative Assembly—of the Taluk.
2. Members of the State Legislative Council, if any, residing in the Taluk.
3. District Board Members of the Taluk.
4. The remaining Members and the Chairman will be nominated by Government.

The Amildar of the Taluk will be the *Ex-officio* Convener of the Committee.

3. The functions of the Committees will be—

(1) to advise on matters relating to development schemes under Five-Year Plan and their implementation so far as their Taluks are concerned ;

(2) to advise in regard to Harijan Welfare and improvement of their conditions of living in the Taluks ;

(3) to render necessary assistance in the matter of implementing Educational reforms ; and

(4) to advise and render necessary assistance in Cultural Development activities in the Taluks.

4. The Taluk Committees will meet at periodical intervals and transact business in accordance with the procedure to be indicated by the Commissioner of Economic Development and Planning. A joint meeting of all the Taluk Committees in the District will be held at least once a year for the purpose of co-ordination of work and exchange of views. The District Officers of all the Departments will attend these joint meetings. The Deputy Commissioner will convene these joint meetings. Either the Deputy Commissioner or any person invited by him will preside over the meetings.

5. The non-official members of the Committees will be entitled to the following rates of Travelling Allowance and Daily Allowance.

Railway fare	...	...	One and a half Inter-Class ;
Mileage	...	...	Three annas ;
Daily Allowance	...	...	Rupees Three per day.

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Records the Administration Report of the Department of Statistics for the year 1952-53.

READ—

Letter No. Sl-D. Stat. 107—53-54, dated the 15th June 1953, from the Commissioner for Economic Development and Planning, and Director of Statistics in Mysore, Bangalore, forwarding the Administration Report of the Statistical Department for the year 1952-53.

ORDER NO. S.R. 2143-243—STCS. 6-53-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 8TH JULY 1953.

Recorded.

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